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TAGS: MILI, TH

SUBJECT: HANDGUN EXPORTS TO THAILAND

REF: STATE 183656

1. FIREARM REGISTRATION DIVISION (FRD) POLICE DEPARTMENT,
MINISTRY OF INTERIOR RTG, ADVISED OF CONTENT OF REFTEL.

2. FRD ROUTINELY ISSUES IMPORT LICENSES (IN THAI) APPROVING
THE IMPORTATION OF ALL FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION. IN COMPLIANCE
WITH REQUIREMENTS OF OFFICE OF MUNITIONS CONTROL, THAI IMPORTERS
OF US HANDGUNS WILL NOW SUBMIT A COPY OF THE IMPORT LICENSE WITH
THE ORDER. AN ENGLISH TRANSLATION WILL BE TYPED ON THE COPY OF
THE LICENSE BY THE FIREARMS TRADERS ASSOCIATION WHICH IS LEGALLY
RECOGNIZED BY RTG. THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE ASSOCIATION IS
COMPOSED OF A LARGE MAJORITY OF THE THAI DEALERS IN FIREARMS
AND AMMUNITION.

3. A SAMPLE COPY OF AN APPROVED IMPORT LICENSE IS BEING
AIR POUCHED.
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